



MISS NORMA JEAN KILLINGSWORTH

Gillette-Killingsworth Troth Told at Two Parties

Mr. and Mrs. Harold William Killingsworth of 3602 Sepulveda boulevard have formally announced the engagement of their daughter, Norma Jean, to Mr. Dean Jay Gillette, whose parents are Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jay Gillette of La Verne.

The announcement was made at a dinner party for relatives of the principals in the home of the bride's parents. A miniature wedding procession of dolls in hand-crocheted dresses and hats called attention to the inscription of the affianced couple's names on a wide satin ribbon streamer. Immediately following the dinner party the bridegroom-elect enplaned for Quantico, Va., where he entered the United States Marine Corps Officers Candidate School.

The couple have set their wedding for some time next year, depending upon his service requirements.

Miss Killingsworth followed the dinner party next evening with a surprise announcement party in Miller Hall on the La Verne College campus.

The charming bride-elect was graduated from Narbonne High School with the class of June '48 and is a senior at La Verne College where she is majoring in education. She is president of the Women's Recreational Association, vice president of her senior class, and president of



MR. AND MRS. MILTON LEON LONG

Elizabeth Rohring Says Vows With Milton Long

The beautiful McConnell Drive home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Maxwell Rohring in Cheviot Hills was the effective setting for the marriage of their only daughter, Ashley Elizabeth, when she repeated vows to become the bride of Milton Leon Long, United States Navy. The bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Richard A. Long of 1417 West 216th street, Torrance. Only relatives and intimate friends of the principals and their families attended the wedding.

The impressive nuptial ceremony was performed by Rev. Robert H. Coburn, former as-

istant pastor of Torrance First Baptist Church and intimate friend of the bridegroom's family. Floor baskets of large white chrysanthemums, a mantel arrangement of the same flowers and tapers in silver branched candelabra provided an improvised altar for the rites. The couple knelt on a white satin-draped prie-dieu to receive the nuptial benediction.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was gowned in Chantilly-type lace over satin and carried stately white orchids and stephanotis. Her fingertip veil of illusion was confined with a lace and pleated net cloche. An heirloom choker of genuine pearls, which had belonged to her paternal great-grandmother, complemented her bridal ensemble.

Miss Evelyn Spaan of Lomita was the bride's only attendant. She wore a gown of pastel blue brocade taffeta.

Marion Long, USN, uncle of the bridegroom, served as his best man.

The wedding march and background music were played by the Hal Sandak string trio. A reception immediately followed the ceremony and subsequently Mr. and Mrs. Long left for a honeymoon at Yosemite National Park. They are at home temporarily at Sunset Beach.

Mrs. Long received her diploma from Torrance High School with the class of '50 and attended University of California at Los Angeles. She was graduated in October from the exclusive Wright-MacMahan School of Business Administration in Beverly Hills. Her bridegroom was graduated from the same high school and was employed at Longren Aircraft Company before entering the Navy.

AAUW's Plan Tea Sunday

The American Association of University Women, San Pedro Branch, announce a Christmas tea honoring new members at the home of Mrs. Gilbert Meyer, 1223 Avenell street, San Pedro, on Sunday, December 16, from 4 until 6 o'clock.

All members and prospective members are invited.

OES Chapter Marks First Meet of Year

Torrance Chapter 380, Order of the Eastern Star, met Thursday evening in Masonic Temple with Alethea Smith, worthy matron, Floyd Mead, worthy patron, and their new corps of officers in charge.

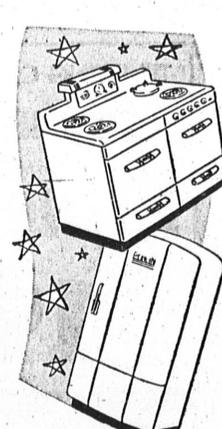
The meeting was called to order by Floyd Mead, worthy patron. Special escort was given the junior past matron, Vivian Cook, and the junior past patron, Gordon Mothersell.

Rena Pearson, deputy grand matron of the 92nd district, was present as were worthy matrons and worthy patrons of her district. Fifteen past matrons and five past patrons from Torrance and other chapters were presented during the evening. A large group of members and visitors also attended to witness the work of the new officers.

After the business meeting, members adjourned to the banquet room where refreshments were served by Rolive Bever and her committee, Jack and Bettina Miller, and Wilbur and Naoma Winner.

Next meeting will mark the annual Christmas party and each member is asked to provide a gift for exchange not to exceed \$1 in value, the name of donor to be attached. This meeting will have Gladys Mothersell as chairman.

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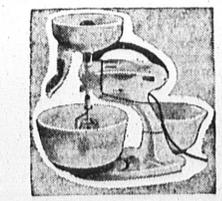
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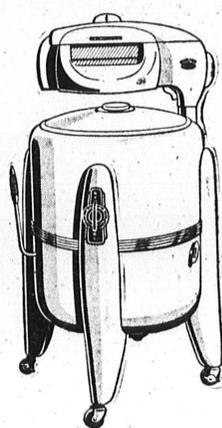


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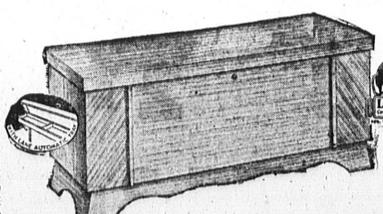
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